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MEETING OF STATES PARTIES TO THE CONVENTION
ON THE ELIMINATION OF ALL FORMS OF
DISCRIMINATION AGAINST WOMEN
Sixth session
New York, 4 February 1992

PROVISIONAL AGENDA

1. Opening of the meeting by the representative of the Secretary-General.

2. Election of the Chairman.

3. Adoption of the agenda.

4. Election of other officers of the meeting.

5. Election, in accordance with article 17, paragraphs 4 and 5, of the Convention, of 11 members of the Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, to replace those whose terms are due to expire on 15 April 1992.

6. Status of reports received and not yet considered and reports overdue and the implications for the work of the Committee.

7. Other matters.

ANNOTATIONS

Item 6

At its tenth session, the Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women decided to renew its request for additional meetings if the number of reports received but not yet considered increased by its eleventh session. 1/ It also decided to recommend that the States parties should consider that problem with a view to searching for a longer-term solution, including an amendment to article 20 of the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women (General Assembly resolution 34/180, annex). 1/ The Committee noted that the General Assembly, by its resolution 43/100, had decided to keep under review the Committee's request for additional meeting time. 2/ Also at its tenth session, the Committee decided to bring the situation with regard to overdue reports to the attention of the Meeting of States Parties to the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women at its sixth session. 3/

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Item 7

Article 28 of the Convention provides that the Secretary-General shall receive and circulate to all States the text of reservations made by States at the time of ratification or accession. It also provides that the Secretary-General shall inform States parties of any reservation withdrawn by notification after such notification is received. In accordance with established practice, the Secretariat will provide the Meeting of States Parties to the Convention with consolidated information on reservations, declarations, objections and notifications of withdrawal of reservations relating to the Convention (CEDAW/SP/1992/2).

Notes

1/ "Report of the Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women (tenth session)" (A/46/38), chap. V, para. 378. The report will be issued subsequently as Official Records of the General Assembly, Forty-sixth Session, Supplement No. 38 (A/46/38).

2/ Ibid., para. 377.

3/ Ibid., para. 371.